

الْبَابُ السَّابِعُ

إِنَّ اللَّهَ تَعَالَى يُدْخِلُ الْجَنَّةَ سَبْعُونَ أَلْفًا وَمَعَ كُلِّ وَاحِدٍ
سَبْعُونَ أَلْفًا بِغَيْرِ حِسَابٍ

CHAPTER SEVEN

ON THE SEVENTY THOUSAND PEOPLE OF
THE PROPHET'S UMMA TO WHOM ALLAH
SHALL GRANT PARADISE WITHOUT
RECKONING, AND EVERY SINGLE PERSON
AMONG THEM WILL BE GRANTED
ADDITIONAL SEVENTY THOUSAND TO
ENTER PARADISE WITH HIM WITHOUT
RECKONING

١/٣٧. عَنْ أَبِي بَكْرٍ الصِّدِّيقِ رضي الله عنه قَالَ: قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ: أُعْطِيتُ سَبْعِينَ أَلْفًا يَدْخُلُونَ الْجَنَّةَ بِغَيْرِ حِسَابٍ. وَجُوهُهُمْ كَالْقَمَرِ لَيْلَةَ الْبَدْرِ وَقُلُوبُهُمْ عَلَى قَلْبِ رَجُلٍ وَاحِدٍ. فَاسْتَزِدْتُ رَبِّي، فَزَادَنِي مَعَ كُلِّ وَاحِدٍ سَبْعِينَ أَلْفًا. قَالَ أَبُو بَكْرٍ: فَرَأَيْتُ أَنَّ ذَلِكَ آتٍ عَلَى أَهْلِ الْقُرَى وَمُصِيبٌ مِنْ حَافَاتِ الْبَوَادِي.
رَوَاهُ أَحْمَدُ وَأَبُو يَعْلَى.

37/1. According to Abū Bakr al-Ṣiddīq رضي الله عنه, Allah's Messenger ﷺ said, "I was granted seventy thousand who shall enter Paradise without reckoning. Their faces will shine like the moon when it is full and their hearts will be like the heart of one person. I then asked my Lord for more, and He granted me an additional seventy thousand with every single person." Abū Bakr رضي الله عنه said, "I think this shall be for the inhabitants of the villages and the bare-footed nomads."

Reported by Aḥmad and Abū Ya'la.

٢/٣٨. عَنْ عَبْدِ الرَّحْمَنِ بْنِ أَبِي بَكْرٍ رضي الله عنه أَنَّ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ ﷺ قَالَ: إِنَّ رَبِّي أَعْطَانِي سَبْعِينَ أَلْفًا مِنْ أُمَّتِي يَدْخُلُونَ الْجَنَّةَ بِغَيْرِ حِسَابٍ. فَقَالَ عُمَرُ: يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ، فَهَلَا اسْتَزِدْتُهُ؟ قَالَ: قَدْ اسْتَزِدْتُهُ فَأَعْطَانِي مَعَ كُلِّ رَجُلٍ سَبْعِينَ أَلْفًا. قَالَ عُمَرُ: فَهَلَا اسْتَزِدْتُهُ؟ قَالَ: قَدْ اسْتَزِدْتُهُ فَأَعْطَانِي هَكَذَا.
رَوَاهُ أَحْمَدُ وَالْبَزَّازُ.

³⁷ Set forth by •Aḥmad b. Ḥanbal in *al-Musnad*, 1:6 §22; •Abū Ya'la in *al-Musnad*, 1:104 §112; •al-Haythamī in *Majma' al-zawā'id*, 10:410; •Ibn Kathīr in *Tafsīr al-Qur'ān al-'Azīm*, 1:393.

38/2. According to 'Abd al-Rahmān b. Abī Bakr رضي الله عنه, Allah's Messenger ﷺ said,

"Indeed, my Lord granted me seventy thousand from my *Umma* who shall enter Paradise without reckoning." 'Umar said, "O Messenger of Allah! Did you not seek an increase to their number?" The Prophet ﷺ replied, "I sought more from Him and He granted me seventy thousand for every single person among them [the latter]." 'Umar asked again, "O Messenger of Allah! Did you not seek an increase to their number?" The Prophet ﷺ replied, "I sought more from Him and He granted me this much more."

Reported by Aḥmad and al-Bazzār.

٣٩/٣. عَنْ أَنَسٍ رضي الله عنه، عَنِ النَّبِيِّ ﷺ قَالَ: يَدْخُلُ الْجَنَّةَ مِنْ أُمَّتِي سَبْعُونَ أَلْفًا. قَالُوا: زِدْنَا، يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ. قَالَ: لِكُلِّ رَجُلٍ سَبْعُونَ أَلْفًا. قَالُوا: زِدْنَا، يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ. وَكَانَ عَلَى كَثِيبٍ، فَحَثَا بِيَدِهِ. قَالُوا: زِدْنَا، يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ، فَقَالَ: هَذَا وَحْثًا بِيَدِهِ. قَالُوا: يَا نَبِيَّ اللَّهِ، أَبَعَدَ اللَّهُ مَنْ دَخَلَ النَّارَ بَعْدَ هَذَا.

رَوَاهُ أَبُو يَعْلَى وَالْمَقْدِسِيُّ وَابْنُ كَثِيرٍ، وَإِسْنَادُهُ حَسَنٌ.

39/3. According to Anas رضي الله عنه, the Prophet ﷺ said,

"There shall be seventy thousand of my *Umma* who shall enter Paradise [i.e., without reckoning]." The Companions رضي الله عنهم said, "Increase us, O Messenger of Allah!" He said, "For every person among them there will be seventy thousand more." The Companions رضي الله عنهم then said (to the Prophet ﷺ), "Increase us, O Messenger of Allah!" Then, as he was standing on a hill, the Prophet ﷺ added his handful. The

³⁸ Set forth by •Aḥmad b. Hanbal in *al-Musnad*, 1:197 §1706; •al-Bazzār in *al-Musnad*, 6:234 §2268; •al-Haythamī in *Majma' al-zawā'id*, 10:410; •Ibn Kathīr in *Tafsīr al-Qur'ān al-'Azīm*, 1:393.

³⁹ Set forth by •Abū Ya'la in *al-Musnad*, 6:417 §3783; •al-Maqdisī in *al-Aḥādith al-mukhtāra*, 6:54 §2028; •Ibn Kathīr in *Tafsīr al-Qur'ān al-'Azīm*, 1:395 (who said, "It is an authentic tradition with reliable sources") 'Abd al-Qādir b. al-Sirrī. When asked about him, Ibn Ma'in said, 'A pious man.'; •al-Haythamī in *Majma' al-zawā'id*, 10:404 (who said: "Its chain is authentic.").

Companions ﷺ said again, "Increase us, O Messenger of Allah!" The Prophet ﷺ said, "[Like] this," and then he added his handful. The Companions said, "O Allah's Prophet! May Allah keep away these who enter the Fire ever after this!"

Reported by Abū Ya'la, al-Maḡdisī and Ibn Kathīr. Its chain is fine.

٤/٤٠. عَنْ عَمْرِو بْنِ حَزْمٍ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ عَنِ النَّبِيِّ ﷺ إِنَّهُ تَعَيَّبَ عَنْهُمْ ثَلَاثًا لَا يَخْرُجُ إِلَّا لِصَلَاةٍ مَكْتُوبَةٍ. فَقِيلَ لَهُ فِي ذَلِكَ. قَالَ: إِنَّ رَبِّي وَعَدَنِي أَنْ يَدْخُلَ مِنْ أُمَّتِي الْجَنَّةَ سَبْعُونَ أَلْفًا لَا حِسَابَ عَلَيْهِمْ، وَإِنِّي سَأَلْتُ رَبِّي فِي هَذِهِ الثَّلَاثَةِ الْأَيَّامِ الْمَزِيدَ، فَوَجَدْتُ رَبِّي وَاحِدًا، مَا جِدًّا، كَرِيمًا. فَأَعْطَانِي مَعَ كُلِّ وَاحِدٍ مِنَ السَّبْعِينَ أَلْفًا سَبْعِينَ أَلْفًا. قَالَ قُلْتُ: يَا رَبِّ، وَتَبْلُغُ أُمَّتِي هَذَا؟ قَالَ: أَكْمَلُ لَكَ الْعِدَدَ مِنَ الْأَعْرَابِ.

رَوَاهُ الْبَيْهَقِيُّ.

40/4. According to 'Amr b. Ḥazm رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ, the Prophet ﷺ stayed inside for three days and would only come out to pray the congregational prayer. When asked about the reason for this, the Prophet ﷺ replied,

"Indeed, my Lord promised me that He would place seventy thousand of my *Umma* in Paradise without reckoning, so during these three days I asked my Lord for an increase, and I certainly found my Lord as a Bestower, Glorious [*Mājid*] and Generous [*Karīm*]. After that He granted me an additional seventy thousand for every individual among the seventy thousand. I said, 'O my Lord! Will my *Umma* attain such a large number? He [Allah] said, 'I will complete the number for you by the Bedouins.'"

Reported by al-Bayhaqī.

٥/٤١. عَنْ أَبِي أُمَامَةَ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ أَنَّهُ سَمِعَ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ ﷺ يَقُولُ: لَيَدْخُلَنَّ الْجَنَّةَ بِشَفَاعَةِ رَجُلٍ لَيْسَ بِنَبِيِّ، مِثْلُ الْحَيِّينِ أَوْ مِثْلُ أَحَدِ الْحَيِّينِ: رِبِيعَةٌ وَمُضَرٌّ. فَقَالَ رَجُلٌ: يَا

⁴⁰ Set forth by al-Bayhaqī in *Shu'ab al-īmān*, 1:252 §268.

رَسُولُ اللَّهِ، أَوْ مَا رِبِيعَةٌ مِنْ مُضَرٍّ؟ فَقَالَ: إِنَّمَا أَقُولُ مَا أُقَوِّلُ.

رَوَاهُ أَحْمَدُ وَالتَّبَرَانِيُّ. وَقَالَ الْهَيْثَمِيُّ: رَجُلٌ أَحْمَدٌ وَأَحَدُ أَصَانِيدِ الطَّبْرَانِيِّ
رِجَالُهُمْ رَجَالُ الصَّحِيحِ غَيْرُ عَبْدِ الرَّحْمَنِ بْنِ مَيْسَرَةَ وَهُوَ ثِقَةٌ.

41/5. Abū Umāma رضي الله عنه reported that he heard Allah's Messenger ﷺ say, "A large group, similar in size to the two tribes of Rabī'a and Muḍar, shall enter Paradise due to the intercession of a man who is not a Prophet." A man asked, "O Messenger of Allah! Is not Rabī'a from Muḍar?" The Prophet ﷺ replied, "I only utter what I am inspired to say."

Reported by Aḥmad and al-Ṭabarānī. According to al-Haythamī, "Aḥmad's sources and sources in one of al-Ṭabarānī's chains are authentic, except for 'Abd al-Raḥmān b. Maysara, who is reliable."

٦/٤٢. عَنْ عَبْدِ اللَّهِ بْنِ قَيْسٍ قَالَ: كُنْتُ عِنْدَ أَبِي بُرْدَةَ ذَاتَ لَيْلَةٍ، فَدَخَلَ عَلَيْنَا
الْحَارِثُ بْنُ أَقْيَشٍ. فَحَدَّثَنَا الْحَارِثُ لَيْلَتَيْهِ أَنَّ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ ﷺ قَالَ: إِنَّ مِنْ أُمَّتِي
مَنْ يَدْخُلُ الْجَنَّةَ بِشَفَاعَتِهِ أَكْثَرُ مِنْ مُضَرٍّ، وَإِنَّ مِنْ أُمَّتِي مَنْ يَعْظُمُ لِلنَّارِ حَتَّى يَكُونَ
أَحَدَ زَوَايَاهَا.

رَوَاهُ أَحْمَدُ وَابْنُ مَاجَهٍ وَابْنُ أَبِي شَيْبَةَ وَأَبُو يَعْلَى وَالْحَاكِمُ. وَقَالَ: هَذَا
حَدِيثٌ صَحِيحٌ الْإِسْنَادِ عَلَى شَرْطِ مُسْلِمٍ.

42/6. According to 'Abd Allāh b. Qays,

⁴¹ Set forth by •Aḥmad b. Ḥanbal in *al-Musnad*, 5:257 §22215; •al-Ṭabarānī in *al-Mu'jam al-kabīr*, 8:143 §7638, and in •*Musnad al-Shāmiyyīn*, 2:147 §1079; •al-Haythamī in *Majma' al-zawā'id*, 10:381; •Ibn Kathīr in *Tafsīr al-Qur'ān al-Azīm*, 4:248.

⁴² Set forth by •Aḥmad b. Ḥanbal in *al-Musnad*, 5:312; •Ibn Mājah in *al-Sunan*: Bk.: *al-Zuhd* [The Renunciation], Ch.: "The Description of Hell," 2:1446 §4323; •Ibn Abī Shayba in *al-Muṣannaf*, 6:313 §31702; •Abū Ya'la in

"One night I was with Abū Burda when al-Ḥārith b. Uqaysh came in. That night, he narrated to us that Allah's Messenger ﷺ said, 'Indeed, there is a group of people larger than Muḍar tribe who shall enter Paradise due to the intercession of one person from my *Umma*, and indeed, there is a person from my *Umma* whose size shall be increased (due to sins) in the Hellfire until he is one of its corners.'"

Reported by Aḥmad, Ibn Mājah, Ibn Abī Shayba, Abū Ya'la and al-Ḥākim. According to al-Ḥākim said, "Its chain is rigorously authentic conforming to the stipulation of Muslim."

al-Musnad, 3:154 §1581; •al-Ḥākim in *al-Mustadrak 'alā al-Ṣaḥīḥayn*, 1:242 §238; •Ibn Abī 'Āsim in *al-Āḥād wa al-mathānī*, 2:294 §1056.